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SUBJ: DROUGHT SURVEY IN GUINEA

OTTAWA FOR HIGGINS

PARIS FOR HELMAN

ROME FOR FODAG

BRUSSELS FOR MARTIN

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1. GUINEAN MINISTER OF COMMERCE FOR THE INTERIOR, MOUSSA CAMARA, ALSO SUPPLIED FOLLOWING INFO ON HARVEST SEASON AND UP-COUNTRY STORAGE, WHICH INADVERTENTLY OMITTED REFTEL.

2. HARVEST SEASON. THE NOMINAL HARVEST SEASON FOR GUINEAN MAJOR CROPS IS AS FOLLOWS:

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SEPTEMBER-EARLY FONIO, LOWLAND MANIOC
OCTOBER -LATE FONIO, SOME MOUNTAIN MANIOC,CORN
NOVEMBER -REMAINDER MOUNTAIN MANIOC, MILLET, RICE

3. UP-COUNTRY STORAGE. EACH VILLAGE HAS LIMITED PUBLIC STORAGE: CLASSROOMS, MEETING PLACES AND OTHER COVERED AREAS CAN BE CONVERTED FOR THIS PURPOSE BUT PROBABLY NO MORE THAN 2-5 MT CAN BE STORED AT ANY ONE TIME IN ANY ONE VILLAGE. THIS DOES NOT RPT NOT INCLUDE GRAIN THAT HAS ALREADY BEEN DISTRIBUTED TO INDIVIDUAL FAMILIES. THE STORAGE AVAILABLE IN REGIONAL CENTERS (CHEF-LIEUX D'ARRONDISSEMENT) IS LARGER, BUT NO PRECISE FIGURE IS KNOWN. FROM VISITS TO SEVEN REGION HQS, IT APPEARED THERE WOULD BE LITTLE DIFFICULTY IN STORING FROM 10 TO 50 MT, OR MORE, IN EACH ONE. GIVEN SPEEDY GUINEAN DISTRIBUTION OF GRAIN IN 1973, UP-COUNTRY STORAGE NOT SEEN AS A CONSTRAINT ON DISTRIBUTION.
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